

## Common Abbreviations and Acronyms

1 or 2 Adjudication Status 43-247 (1)—delinquent – misdemeanor or felony  
3a Adjudication Status 43-247 (3a)—abused/neglected/dependant  
3b Adjudication Status 43-247 (3b)—status offender

### A

AA Alcoholics Anonymous  
AABD Aid to Aged, Blind, and Disabled  
ACA Adult Children of Alcoholics  
ADC Aid to Dependent Children  
ADD Attention Deficit Disorder  
Adj. Adjudication  
AFCARS Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System (federally required)  
AG Attorney General  
ATF Adolescent Treatment Facility (part of ENCOMH)  
Atty Attorney

### B

Bd Board  
BD Behaviorally Disordered  
BGH Blondo Group Home (part of ENCOMH)  
BI Behaviorally Impaired  
BPS Bellevue Public Schools  
BT Boys Town  
BTI Boys Town Institute (now BTNRH)  
BTNRH Boys Town National Research Hospital

### C

CA County Attorney  
CAC Chicano Awareness Center  
CARF Children at Risk Field (old DSS form)  
CAPTA The Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act (PL 108-36), which is the federal law governing Protection and Safety (P&S, formerly known as CPS, Child Protective Services) programs across the country.  
CASA Court Appointed Special Advocate  
CCC Children's Crisis Center  
CD Chemical Dependency  
CGC Child Guidance Center  
CMH Center for Mental Health (e.g. St. Joseph CMH)  
CP/CR Case Plan & Court Report  
CPS Child Protective Services  
Cnsg Counseling  
Ct Court (Judge)  
CUMC Creighton University Medical Center  
cw Caseworker

CWI 4 Form used for Case Plan/Court Report  
CWI 5 Form used for Permanency Planning Review  
CWI-10 Old HHS forms used prior to N-FOCUS

## **D**

DCC Douglas County Court  
DCH Douglas County Hospital  
DCJC Douglas County Juvenile Court  
DCYC Douglas County Youth Center  
Disp Disposition  
DSU Daughters and Sons United

## **E**

EMH Educably Mentally Handicapped  
ENCOMH Eastern Nebraska Community Office on Mental Health  
ENCOR Eastern Nebraska Community Office of Retardation  
ENHSA Eastern Nebraska Human Services Agency  
ER Emergency Room  
ERB Early Review Board

## **F**

FCRB Foster Care Review Board  
FDS Family Development Services  
FH Foster Home  
FITS Family Intensive Treatment Services (Intensive in-home therapy)  
FP Foster Parent  
FSW Family Support Worker  
FT Family Teacher

## **G**

GA General Assistance  
GAL Guardian ad litem  
GED General Equivalency Diploma

## **H**

HRC Hastings Regional Center  
HX History

## **I**

ICPC Interstate Compact  
ICWA Indian Child Welfare Act  
IEP Individual Educational Program  
IL Independent Living  
IM Income Maintenance  
IPP Individual Program Plan

IPS Individual Program Summary (ENCOR)  
ISC Individualized Study Center

## L

LD Learning Disability/Learning Disabled  
LFS Lutheran Family Services  
LGH Lincoln General Hospital  
LRC Lincoln Regional Center

## M

MCRI Meyer's Children's Rehabilitation Center  
MHC Mental Health Center (e.g. Immanuel MHC)  
MOLD Mothers & Offspring Living & Developing (York Program)  
MR Mentally Retarded  
MSU Medical Support Unit (Part of ENCOR residential program)  
MSW Master's Degree of Social Work

## N

NACDC Native American Community Development Corporation  
NAFCR National Association of Foster Care Reviewers  
NBR Nebraska Boys Ranch  
NCANDS National Child Abuse and Neglect Data System (federal)  
NCCY Nebraska Center for Children and Youth  
NCH Nebraska Children's Home  
NDC Nebraska Department of Corrections  
NDSS Nebraska Department of Social Services  
N-FOCUS Nebraska Family Online Client User System (HHS computer)  
NOACP North Omaha Alcoholism Counseling Program  
NPI Nebraska Psychiatric Institute (now UPS)  
NOVA New Options and Values Agency (alcohol treatment center)

## O

OB Operation Bridge  
OHA Omaha Housing Authority  
OHB Omaha Home for Boys  
OIC Omaha Instructional Center  
OPD Omaha Police Department  
OPS Omaha Public Schools

## P

PD Public Defender  
PKCC Peter Kiewit Conference Center  
PO Probation Officer  
PPR Permanency Planning Review  
PSW Protective Services Worker  
Psych Psychological evaluation

PTSD Post Traumatic Stress Disorder  
PU Parents United

## **R**

Rec Recommendation(s)

## **S**

SA Substance Abuse  
SOACA South Omaha Alcoholism Counseling Agency  
SOB State Office Building  
SS Social Security  
SSI Supplemental Security Income  
STD Sexually Transmitted Diseases

## **T**

TLC Teaching and Learning With Children (part of YSS)  
TMH Trainable Mentally Retarded  
TPR Termination of Parental Rights  
TPU Treatment Plan Update  
TX Treatment

## **U**

UA Urinalysis  
UCSS United Catholic Social Services  
UH Uta Halee  
UNMC University Nebraska Medical Center  
UPS University Psychiatric Services (formerly NPI)

## **V**

VNA Visiting Nurses Association  
Voc Rehab Vocational Rehabilitation  
VS Visitation Specialist

## **W**

WIC Women, Infant & Children Program  
WI|CS Women In Community Services

## **Y**

YDC Youth Development Center (Kearney)  
YES Youth Emergency Services  
YSS Youth Services System